

Supervisor Romaine Honors Eagle Scout Mitchell Weygand from Troop 47 in Patchogue

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Farmingville, NY - On March 21, Supervisor Ed Romaine (right) attended the Court of Honor ceremony for Mitchell Weygand of Boy Scout Troop 47 of Patchogue. At the event, which was held at Saint Joseph the Worker RC Church in East Patchogue, the Supervisor presented a proclamation in recognition of Mitchell achieving the rank of Eagle Scout. His Eagle project was creating a "Y-shaped" entrance pathway from the street to the church's community garden. The project included clearing the land between the street and garden, constructing an 80 ft. pathway and filling it with white stones and planting grass. His fundraising efforts were such a success that he was able to add four concrete benches and a painted 3 ft. statue of Saint Joseph at the center of the pathway.

Supervisor Romaine said, "Congratulations to Mitchel for completing his service project and achieving the rank of Eagle Scout. Boy Scouts are the leaders of tomorrow, and from meeting Mitchell, I can say that we'll be in good hands."

Since the award was presented in 1912, no more than four percent of all Scouts have attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank attainable in the Boy Scouts of America (BSA). Since its introduction in 1911, the Eagle Scout rank has been earned by more than two million young men.

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